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FOR THE DISTRICT OF MARYLAND

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JEFFREY L. SMITH, *et al.*,

Plaintiffs

v.

Civil No. CCB-98-860

BARRETT ENCLOSURES, INC.,
et al.,

Defendants.

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STATUS REPORT AND REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

The Plaintiffs and Defendant Barrett Enclosures have reached a tentative settlement for terminating the present litigation. Plaintiffs are currently preparing a motion to dismiss the litigation with prejudice, which will be filed with the Court within the next two weeks. Accordingly, the parties request an additional two weeks for allowing Plaintiffs additional time to file the aforesaid motion.

Counsel for Defendants consents to Plaintiffs request for additional time.

Favorable action on the motion is respectfully requested.

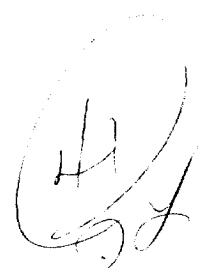
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Respectfully submitted,

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